

Clarification: After publication of the October 9, 1997, notice, we received inquiries concerning the distinction between groups of orders. In response, we are providing additional clarification of the distinction between the groups of orders and posting it on the IA web site at: http://www.ita.doc.gov/import_admin/records/.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Melissa G. Skinner, Office of Policy, or Andrew Lee Beller, Central Records Unit, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, at (202) 482-1560 or 482-0866, or Vera Libeau, Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, at (202) 205-3176.

Dated: October 31, 1997.

Robert S. LaRussa,
Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 110697C]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council's Summer Flounder, Scup, and Black Sea Bass Monitoring Committees will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Thursday, December 4, 1997; the Summer Flounder Monitoring Committee will meet from 10:00 a.m. until noon, the Scup Monitoring Committee will meet from 1:00-3:00 p.m., and the Black Sea Bass Monitoring Committee will meet from 3:00-5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Radisson Hotel Philadelphia Airport, 500 Stevens Drive, Philadelphia, PA; telephone: 610-521-5900.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19904; telephone: 302-674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director,

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the meeting is to recommend the 1998 recreational measures for summer flounder, scup, and black sea bass.

Although other issues not contained in this agenda may come before these Committees for discussion, in accordance with the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, those issues may not be the subject of formal Committee action during this meeting. Committee action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in the agenda listed in this notice.

Special Accommodations

The meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Joanna Davis at the Council (see **ADDRESSES**) least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: November 10, 1997.

Bruce C. Morehead,
Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 110797A]

Endangered Species; Permits

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Receipt of applications for scientific research permits (1070, 1091, 1097, 1105, 1106) and modifications to scientific research permits (1039, 1042)

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that Louisiana-Pacific Corporation (LPC) in Fort Bragg, CA (1070), the Santa Ynez River Technical Advisory Committee (YTAC) in Santa Barbara, CA (1091), Resource Management International Inc. (RMI) in San Rafael, CA (1097), Hagar Environmental Science (HES) in Richmond, CA (1105), and Dr. David Wm. Owens of Texas A&M University (1106) have applied for scientific research permits authorizing the take of endangered or threatened species. Notice is also given that the Natural Resources Management Corporation (NRMC) in Eureka, CA (1039) and

William M. Kier in Sausalito, CA (1042) have applied for modifications to their existing scientific research permits.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on any of these applications must be received on or before December 17, 1997.

ADDRESSES: The applications and related documents are available for review in the following offices, by appointment:

Application for permits 1070, 1091, 1097, and 1105, and modification requests for permits 1039 and 1042: Protected Species Division, NMFS, 777 Sonoma Avenue, Room 325, Santa Rosa, CA 95404-6528 (707-575-6066).

Application for permit 1106: Director, Southeast Region, NMFS, NOAA, 9721 Executive Center Drive, St. Petersburg, FL 33702-2432 (813-893-3141).

All documents may also be reviewed by appointment in the Office of Protected Resources, F/PR3, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226 (301-713-1401);

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For Permits 1039, 1042, 1070, 1091, 1097, and 1105: Tom Hablett, Protected Species Division, NMFS Santa Rosa Office (707-575-6066).

For Permit 1106: Michelle Rogers, Office of Protected Resources (301-713-1401).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: LPC, YTAC, RMI, HES, and David Wm. Owens, Texas A&M University, request permits and NRMC and William Kier request modifications to permits under the authority of section 10 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) and the NMFS regulations governing ESA-listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217-227). These listed species covered by these permits include: coho salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*), steelhead trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*), loggerhead sea turtles (*Caretta caretta*), hawksbill sea turtles (*Eretmochelys imbricata*), and Kemp's ridley sea turtles (*Lepidochelys kempi*).

LPC (1070) requests a five-year permit for takes of adult and juvenile, threatened, southern Oregon/northern California coast (SONCC) coho salmon associated with fish population studies in Humboldt County drainages within the Evolutionarily Significant Unit (ESU). The studies consist of juvenile coho salmon distribution/abundance surveys and adult salmon spawner surveys. ESA-listed juvenile fish are proposed to be captured, anesthetized, handled (identified, measured, and sampled for tissues), allowed to recover from the anesthetic, and released. ESA-listed adult fish carcasses are proposed